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CAMPBELL RIVER FALLS TO BE HARNESSSED

GEN. MACBRIEN RESIGNS AS HEAD OF CANADA ARMY

New Chief of General Staff in Ottawa to Be Appointed;
MacBrien Declines to State Cause of His Resignation at Present

Ottawa, Jan. 26.—His resignation of Major-General J. H. MacBrien, C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O., from his post as chief of the Canadian general army staff, will take effect almost immediately, it was learned here this afternoon.

When interviewed, General MacBrien said he had no definite plans.

"Do you care to give any reason for your resignation?" he was asked.

"There are reasons," he replied, "but I do not care to give them just now."

OTTAWA IS KEPT FULLY INFORMED OF EVENTS IN CHINA

British Government Sends Reports on Carrying Out of Its Policy

No Request Made Canada Prepare to Send Troops to Orient

Ottawa, Jan. 26.—Confidential reports of developments in China are being regularly received by the Canadian Government from the British Government, and so far, it is intimated in official circles, there has been no suggestion from the British authorities that Canada might wish to send a small expeditionary force to China. The reports received, it is stated, merely cover the course of events and day by day developments in the Chinese situation.

COMMONS DISCUSSION

Should the Chinese situation so develop as to bring active co-operation by the Dominion into play, the question is, is that the Canadian Government will seek the authority of Parliament before deciding as to the sending of any troops.

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ROUMANIA EXPECTS CAROL TO RETURN

Move to Make Him Next King Gathers Headway

Bucharest, Jan. 26.—More and more public opinion is supporting the proposal to reinstate Prince Carol to the position he had before renouncing his right to the Romanian throne a year ago. The majority of the political parties, with the exception of the die-hard Liberals, are openly advocating the return of Carol, and the newspapers are distinctly favorable to the suggestion.

Ivan Mihalache, one of the leaders of the Peasant's Party, speaking at the congress of Co-operative Societies, Groza, declared that he was convinced the interest of the state would be better served and the constitutional monarchist principle better assured by the return of Carol than by a thirteen-year-regency, which would amount to placing a political party on the throne with the attributes of a monarch, minus his responsibility.

Roumanian circles in Paris have received reports during the last few days that King Ferdinand of Roumania was soon to abdicate and Prince Carol was to succeed him on the throne. There also have been reports of a similar resolution by Carol and his estranged wife, Princess Helen, but Carol has refused to comment, except to say he was not going to Bucharest "just yet."

ELECTION DECLARATION

Guyboro, N.S., Jan. 26.—At election day proceedings, held here yesterday, William Duff, successful Liberal candidate in the Federal by-election held a week ago in Antigonish-Guyboro, was formally declared elected by a majority of 1,122 over his Conservative opponent, Neil McArthur of Glace Bay.



MAJ.-GEN. J. H. MACBRIEN

DEFENCE FUND WITHIN SIGHT OF ITS OBJECTIVE

Philip Goodwin Defence Committee Anxious to Close Fund This Week

Fund Endorsed by City and Final Appeal Made by Mayor Pendray To-day

Only \$1,000 stands between the Philip Goodwin defence committee and the objective of \$5,000 they set to secure adequate counsel representation in defense of the Victoria returned soldier in his move for a new hearing before a California court on a charge of murder.

The fund has been endorsed by Provincial and city authorities, and is being raised by a special committee representative of ex-service organizations of this city. The committee is confident that when the slight sum required is made known the fund may be closed at the end of this week.

ENDORSED BY COUNCIL

Carrying out the endorsement of the City Council, given after a special committee had conferred with the defence committee and had had access to the records in support of the claims of defendant that he had fresh evidence to bring forward which would substantiate his innocence, Mayor J. Pendray to-day issued a final appeal to citizens to complete the fund.

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U.S. PLANE SQUADRON TO-DAY AT MONTREAL

Vancouver Leader Supports Tom Moore's Opposition to Armed Intervention

Twelve Goodwill Machines Delayed Day in Leaving For Buffalo

Montreal, Jan. 26.—The United States squadron of twelve army pursuit aeroplanes from Selfridge Field, Michigan, which flew here yesterday, and which the goodwill invasion of Canada will not leave to-day for Buffalo, N.Y., as planned, but will stay over until to-morrow. The change in plans is due to the late arrival of the squadron here yesterday after being forced to land twice in a heavy snowstorm encountered. However, the machines are to be transported plane with mechanics on board failing to find the local air field. The transport was forced down through want of gasoline at Pointe-ÉCLAIRE, on Lake St. Louis, near Montreal, and spent the night there. The mechanics got to work on the machines this morning.

After a heavy snowstorm experience yesterday, the planes got more winter conditions this morning with the thermometer hovering around zero. Nationalists interpret the concentration as part of a supreme effort to be made by the Cantonese to capture Shanghai before the bulk of the British expeditionary force of 21,000 soldiers and sailors arrives at the end of February.

Believed They Will Try to Seize City Before British Forces Arrive

Shanghai, Jan. 26.—Heavy concentration of Cantonese Nationalist troops which was reported on the Chekiang Province front has caused apprehension in Shanghai.

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CANADA 1926 WHEAT CROP ALMOST EQUALS 1925 RECORD

Ottawa, Jan. 26.—Canada's total yield of wheat for the year 1926 is estimated at 406,269,000 bushels from 22,768,449 acres, against 441,375,700 bushels from 21,972,732 acres in 1925 and with 386,864,525 bushels from 22,084,320 acres the annual average for the four years 1922-25.

The total for 1926, it is announced in a crop report issued yesterday by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics, comprises 22,442,000 bushels from 880,154 acres of Fall wheat and 383,827,000 bushels from 21,888,295 acres of Spring wheat.

The average yield per acre for all wheat in 1926 was 17.8 bushels, against 18.7 bushels in 1925, and with 7.5 bushels the annual average for the four years 1922-25.

For Fall wheat the average yield per acre in 1926 was 23.8 bushels, against 20.6 bushels in 1925 and with 23.7 bushels the annual average. For Spring wheat the average for 1926 was 17.5 bushels, against 18.2 bushels in 1925 and with 17.2 bushels the four-year average.

Grain hay yielded 4,763,000 tons from 1,916,100 acres, against 4,438,000 tons from 1,894,911 acres in 1925 and 3,814,000 tons from 1,794,717 acres the four-year average.

Alfalfa yielded 2,118,000 tons from 585,043 acres, against 1,840,200 tons from 655,567 acres in 1925 and 1,183,000 tons from 655,531 acres the four-year average.

The average yield was 2.49 tons, against 2.97 tons in 1925 and 2.14 the four-year average.

In 1926, barley yielded 103,881,100 bushels from 3,794,718 acres, against 112,468,300 bushels from 4,075,995 acres in 1925 and with 27.8 bushels the four-year average. The yield per acre was 27.3 bushels against 27.5 bushels in 1925 and 27.3 bushels the four-year average.

Wheat 379,898,000 bushels from 21,678,114 acres (382,359,000 bushels from 29,942,590 acres); oats 241,632,000 bushels from 8,245,308 acres (322,400,000 bushels; 9,891,234 acres); barley 25,000,000 bushels from 3,195,669 acres (34,531,000 bushels from 3,722,536 acres); flax seed, 6,434,000 bushels from 565,118 acres (9,135,000 bushels from 686,423 acres the four-year average).

The total grain yield of the three prairie provinces, Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, is estimated as follows, the yields and acreages of 1925 given in brackets:

Wheat 11,809,500; (13,688,500); rye 2,600,000; (3,410,700); 3,179,250; barley 1,159,500; (1,780,700); 1,259,950; buckwheat 1,932,300; 10,448,800; 18,228,425; mixed grains 34,555,000; (34,301,000); 30,935,500; corn for husking 78,150,000; (10,564,300); 12,492,075.

For the remaining grain crops the total yields for 1926 are in bushels as follows (the 1925 yields and the four-year averages in brackets):

Rye 11,809,500; (13,688,500); 20,761,150; barley 2,600,000; (3,410,700); 3,179,250; beans 1,159,500; (1,780,700); 1,259,950; buckwheat 1,932,300; 10,448,800; 18,228,425; mixed grains 34,555,000; (34,301,000); 30,935,500; corn yielded 47,200,000 tons from 57,881 acres, against 5,428,700 tons from 641,119 acres in 1925 and 5,822,300 tons from 686,423 acres the four-year average.

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The total values of field crops are estimated as follows, the corresponding yields for 1925 and for the four-year averages in brackets:

Wheat \$441,310,000; (441,140,000); \$558,981,225; oats 193,003,000; (201,000,000); barley 192,012,750; 55,809,669; (57,820,100); 46,371,525; rye 9,158,600; (9,721,500); 13,386,000; peas 4,692,000; (5,616,000); beans 5,452,500; (5,376,000); 3,417,575; buckwheat 8,435,000; (8,820,600); 8,840,525; mixed grains 22,900,000; (21,900,000); 19,670,600; flax seed 10,200,000; (15,462,500); 14,645,650; corn for husking 50,000,000; (50,000,000); 52,610,675; beets 8,410,000; (2,784,900); 1,988,475.

The aggregate value of all field crops in 1926 is \$1,131,241,100, against \$1,153,394,900 in 1925 and \$95,239,900 in 1924. Their total area amounts to 67,490,710 acres against 58,240,657 in 1925 and 57,882,550 acres in 1924.

The total production of wool by Canada in 1926 is estimated at 17,160,270 pounds against 15,553,045 pounds in 1925 with a value of \$2,780,000 in 1926 against \$2,961,000 in 1925. Production of farm eggs by Canada is estimated at 237,050,399 dozen against 224,775,868 dozen of the value of \$67,950,840 in 1926.

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HOUSE PRAISES COMPENSATION LAW; SEEKS IMPROVEMENTS BY MEMBERS' INVESTIGATION

With members on all sides of the House praising British Columbia's Workmen's Compensation Act, the Legislature yesterday agreed unanimously to investigate this legislation and its operation with a view to further improvements. The select committee of the House which will conduct this inquiry and get all necessary facts from the Workmen's Compensation Board, will consist of A. E. Munn and Mrs. Mary Ellen Smith, Liberals; Joshua Hincliffe, Conservative; A. McC. Creery, Provincial and Thomas Uphill, Labor.

Decided in order this investigation on the motion of Joshua Hincliffe, supported by Attorney-General Manson; followed a debate in which members agreed that the Workmen's Compensation Board was doing good work. It was suggested, however, that its work could be facilitated by amendments to the legislation under which it functions.

WANTS APPEALS

Moving for an inquiry, Mr. Hincliffe reviewed the history of Workmen's Compensation in Canada, saying that the reasons that actuated the legislation centred in a desire to see that workers generally got a greater measure of compensation for accident than had ruled in the past, when the total amount then received was not more than forty cents. Another cause for the legislation was the need for a larger measure of insurance, and provision for dependents.

He wished to express his satisfaction as to the "unqualified success" of the first expedient, for he was aware that ninety-five per cent of the contributions were now allocated to compensation. But the protection afforded by the Act had not been as successful. In order to remove one difficulty, or to remove another, another wrong had been created. A workman had no redress against the decision of the board, although everyone would admit its members were not infallible.

"It is not reasonable that a claimant whose claim has been refused by the board should have the right of appeal," he asked. "There is no question—I do not say I share it—that the board is amassing a huge re-

serve, and that the workmen are suffering as a result."

BIG INDUSTRIAL GAIN

Attorney-General Manson agreed that an investigation by a select committee into the work of the Board would be useful, and he felt the inquiry should be thorough.

To illustrate the work of the Board he pointed out that its figures had revealed an amazing increase in the B.C. industrial payroll. While it had stood at \$75,725,000 in 1917 it had increased to \$116,000 in 1925 and \$175,000 in 1926.

"This," he said, "should be the most effective answer—we could ask to any suggestion of pessimism or any idea that this Province is not going ahead as fast as we could wish," he said.

PRODUCTION GROWS

"Last year our primary production increased by \$28,000,000 which is far more than the increased production of all the Province but Saskatchewan, which has large output in a single line. Our increase was in all lines—lumbering, fishing, mining and agriculture. That is a magnificent showing and proves clearly the development of this Province."

A study of the blue books on insurance matters in this Province shows that the wastage under present forms of insurance runs all the way from sixty-five per cent to ninety-five per cent; in other words, from \$50 to \$95 out of every \$100 paid in premium goes into the coffers of the insurance companies for administration costs and profits, and from \$40 down to \$5 out of every

\$100 paid in premium is all that gets back to the insured by way of payment for losses.

"With the Workmen's Compensation Board insurance, however only \$2.55 out of every \$100 is wastage. In other words, \$97.45 out of every \$100 received by the Board is insurance, so that in the Board's type of insurance there is approximately two and a half per cent wastage as against sixty per cent to ninety-five per cent in other types."

ACT BROADERED

Mr. Manson traced the gradual broadening of the Workmen's Compensation Act to increase the benefits of working men. He pointed out, however, that as these benefits increased the board in the industry also increased—a point which the Legislature should understand.

"In 1919 the original act was in full effect," he explained. "Claims were being handled as they occurred and pay rolls were being carefully checked. During 1919 employers paid an average of \$1.85 on every \$100 of payroll. Following the amendments which were passed from 1919 onward the employers' contributions rose until in 1925 they were paying an average of \$1.85 on every \$100 payroll.

"In other words, it was costing them 53 cents more assessments for every \$100 payroll on the average, an increase over 1919. Had there been no increases from 1919 and 1925, the \$1.82 rate would have continued to be adequate in 1925."

"On the 1925 payroll at the \$1.82 rate, the accident cost in 1925 would have been \$2,177,654. With the additional contributions of \$1.85 on the average rate raised to \$1.85, there was \$3,023,113 awarded to injured workers and their dependents."

COMPENSATION LARGER

In other words, the increased compensation provided by the amendments to the original act netted \$860,659 additional money to workers and their dependents during 1925 alone. In 1925, the original act was in effect for a period of 140 days, and the ability exceeded fourteen days' duration. That amendment came into effect in 1926, and, based on the 1925 experience, has imposed an additional annual burden of \$70,472 on industry.

The further amendment passed in December, 1925, which provided a \$1.85 per cent assessment for orphans and for the continuance of an existing household where both parents died, added an assessment of slightly less than \$1,000.

"Using the 1925 payroll as a basis and adding the further cost necessitated by the 1926 amendments you will see that the cost to the employers in 1926 over that in 1919 will be the sum of \$860,659 plus \$70,472, plus \$1,000 for orphans and \$100,000 for compliance with regulations, making a total increase of \$1,032,131."

Mr. Manson explained the increasing amount of money being put into effect of late years. The number of trained first aid men employed, he said, had been increased from 500 to about 3,000. Thousands of safeguards on machinery had been installed by employers at their own expense involving altogether an expenditure of about \$100,000.

The Board's operations, Mr. Manson said, had covered 19,805 accidents since it started work, 27,563 occurring in 1925.

SEES SHORTCOMINGS

Thomas Uphill, Labor, Fernie, said there were many shortcomings in the present Act, and in its administration, viewed from the standpoint of the worker, in whom he was chiefly interested. Among them he cited the period of waiting for claims to be dealt with, treatment of orphans in case of the mother's death; consideration of partial and permanent disability cases. There should be stronger provision for action to be instituted against a corporation. He admitted that the Act was far superior to the previous Act, but was yet capable of being improved with benefit to the beneficiaries.

R. W. Brunn, Conservative, Salmon Arm, indicated that there was a strong view among employers, especially in the lumber industry, that the scale of assessment was regarded as rather high.

A. A. Watson, Richmond-Point Grey, while praising the law, said many employers were not satisfied with its workings in part. He suggested that the reappointment of the Chairman Wynn be held over, pending the findings of the House committee.

The Attorney-General intimated that the reappointment was made during last year.

APPEAL IS URGED

R. H. Neelands, Labor, South Vancouver, indicated on the claims of workers that there should be an appeal to the findings of the Board, as existed in civil law. A more generous interpretation of the Act was needed, on the part of the Board, before satisfaction was given. The policy of the Board seemed to be in concentrating on preventing accidents rather than on the just claims of beneficiaries.

T. G. Coventry, Conservative, Saanich, also pleaded for an appeal from the Board's decisions.

J. W. Jones, Conservative, South Okanagan, said that business men were being hampered by the "top-heavy administration of the Act," which required them to put in small staffs that were occupied with workers' compensation to the exclusion of all other work. The assessment was regarded as a tax on industry in the Province. He asked that less time should elapse before the decisions of the Board were communicated.

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DEFENCE FUND WITHIN SIGHT OF ITS OBJECTIVE

(Continued from page 1)

Both Provincial and city authorities have tried to secure a grant from the Federal Government to defray the costs of a second defence, but as far without avail. If the fund is to be completed it must be by public subscription, and that within the next few days.

RETS WITH PUBLIC

In his appeal on behalf of the defence committee's project to-day Mayor Pendray said: "Only \$1,000 is needed to complete the funds of the Phillip A. Goodwin defence committee. The committee is anxious to wind up its drive by the end of this month. The City Council after an investigation has been made available through the courtesy of the defence committee, has endorsed the fund. Ottawa, we believe, has gone as far as it can go officially in the case, and it now rests with the public. The remaining sum required should be donated within the next few days if the objective for which it is collected is to be realized."

Donations to the fund can be made at the Canadian Bank of Commerce. The committee in charge of the drive is headed by General Sir Percy Lake, and includes G. T. Coventry, M.P.P.; G. Melander, A. C. Pike and H. W. Hart.

Recent donations to the fund are credited as under: Previously acknowledged: \$2,406.92; St. Barnabas Church (third donation), total \$53; \$3.00; Native Sons of Canada: Stewart, \$87.00; Vancouver, B.C. \$20.00; St. John's Church, \$50.50; A. H. Smith, \$2.00; J. T. Clayton, \$6.00; W. A. McDill, \$1.00; Rev. W. G. Wilson, \$0.50; J. S. Brantford, \$5.00; Miss K. Craven Hodson, \$2.00; Canadian Legion Branches: Moncton, N.B., \$10.00; Peaceland, B.C., \$5.00; Egremont, Alta., \$2.00; Qualicum Beach, B.C., \$3.00; Orlena, Sask., \$5.00; Prince Albert, Alta., \$2.00; Wainipeo, Man., \$7.00; Keston, Man., \$5.00; Wawanesa, Man., \$2.00; Somerset, Man., \$1.00; Virden, Man., \$5.00; Neepawa, Man., \$5.00; Minneapolis, Man., \$1.50; Hartney, Man., \$2.00; Transcona, Man., \$5.00; Oxbird, Man., \$5.00; Boisbriand, Man., \$10.00; Ninette, Man., \$10.00; Ignace, Man., \$10.00; Swan River, Man., \$2.50; Polish, Man., \$2.75; Wainwright, Alta., \$1.00; Battleford, Sask., \$5.00; Lacolle, Que., \$4.00; Amulet, Sask., \$1.00; Unity, Sask., \$5.00; Canora, Sask., \$3.00; Tuber-culus Section, Fort Qu'Appelle, Sask., \$5.00; Blairmore, Alta., \$5.10. Total \$2,792.78.

CANTONESE PLAN EARLY DRIVE TO TAKE SHANGHAI

(Continued from page 1)

terday aboard the transport Megantic, just as 1,000 marines were leaving Port Arthur for Shanghai. Before the end of the week it is expected more than 11,000 infantrymen will be en route to China.

TO SEND NURSES

It is thought likely orders also will be given to a number of nurses, some of them women from the military hospitals, to be prepared to go with the infantry brigades in the same or other transports.

The hospital ship Maine is being refitted at Malta and soon will be on the way to the China station.

At Chatham nine destroyers are preparing to sail, probably within a fortnight; four cruisers are steaming from the Mediterranean; two are proceeding to the Far East, and the destroyers Warden and Wolverine and the gunboats Aphis and Lady Bird have left Malta, to be followed shortly by the cruiser Dauntless.

WARSHPES AT SCENE

Among the fighting units already at the China Station are six vessels of the Fifth Cruiser Squadron, six of the Third Destroyer Flotilla and fifteen gunboats of the Yangtze and Wei River Flotilla; together with a submarine, attendant ship, a mine sweeper and an aircraft carrier, the Hermes.

Eugene Chen, Cantonese Foreign Minister, and the British Charge d'Affaires, Mr. O'Malley, are still engaged in negotiations at Hankow, where an attack by coolies on the British concession several weeks ago brought on the present crisis. Official dispatches made public here, however, have not shed any light on the progress of their discussions.

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SAVE THE BROOM

ALTHOUGH THE MUNICIPAL COMMITTEE of the Legislature has agreed to a proposal that in future broom shall be classed as a noxious weed, and therefore subject to summary eradication under the provisions of the Noxious Weed Act, it is to be hoped that the House will examine the new clause very carefully and considerably modify its obviously arbitrary nature.

There is nothing in the proposed amendment to the Act which sets out conditions under which broom reasonably could be considered a nuisance or a hindrance to agricultural operations. If the proposed new provision should become law, for instance, many of the magnificent stretches of broom that contribute so much to the attractions of the early Summer season in this community would be exposed to attack from any City Council which might be lacking a suitable appreciation of natural beauty. Nor would the garden of a private residence—and there are many in Victoria in which broom is a central feature of the decorative scheme—be safe from attack. Did the Municipal Committee, incidentally, stop to consider the fact that many experienced gardeners plant broom as a soil enricher, allowing it to bloom for a year or so, afterwards removing it when it has imparted its nutritive properties?

The Legislature might pass a new clause for inclusion in the present Act which would authorize municipalities to deal with the indiscriminate growth of broom where it is patent that it is a nuisance or presents no special recommendation for its preservation. Even with this modification, however, the wording should be clear and definite. The public of this community would certainly oppose any show of vandalism and the Legislature might save itself a good deal of trouble if it were to leave a matter of this kind to the good judgment of the citizens.

HOW TO GO ABOUT IT

PREMIER OLIVER'S DECLARATION IN the House on Monday that the submission by any member of charges of wrong-doing against the Government collectively or individually or any official of the Government in connection with campaign funds, would be followed by the appointment of a Royal Commission of investigation, is in strict accord with well-known parliamentary and legislative procedure. Neither at Ottawa nor in any of the legislatures is it the practice to institute inquiries of this kind as the result of accusations launched and assertions made outside the House, for it is realized that in that case the average Government would be doing little else than appointing Royal Commissions or special committees of investigation.

If any member of the House wants the appointment of a Royal Commission to inquire into the subject of campaign funds, all he needs to do is to present charges on the basis set forth by the Premier. Mr. Pooley, Mr. Twigg, Colonel Peck and Joshua Hinchliffe have done a lot of talking on the matter, they have expressed regret that there has been no investigation, but not one of them has had the nerve to take the course which all knew, even before the Premier told them, was necessary to insure the appointment of a Commission.

Their own party, federally and provincially, received campaign funds from the liquor interests, according to evidence before the Customs Commission, but as these contributions, in the view of The Colonist, must have been inspired merely by the undying devotion of the contributors to the historic principles of the Conservative Party and not, of course, by the expectation of obtaining any favors, they should feel easy in their minds. Then why dodge the issue? Is it because they do not want an investigation, but that they want to be able to attack the Government because there was none? Premier Oliver's declaration closes that door to them, while it opens another one to them for an investigation.

Our Mainland contemporary, The Vancouver Province, has been almost hysterical of late in its demands for an investigation into the acceptance of campaign funds from the liquor interests—whose money it evidently does not regard as sufficiently tainted to decline when paid for advertising space. Here is an opportunity for some member to win the applause of our Vancouver contemporary, although that applause might not be as enthusiastic as he might be led to expect.

In any case, the Premier's declaration states the issue clearly enough, and it is open to any member of the House who thinks there is good ground to believe the Government or any member of the Government or any official of the Government is involved in any wrong-doing in connection with campaign funds, to say so in the Legislature, and a Royal Commission of inquiry will follow.

THE P.G.E.

CONDENSED TO A FEW WORDS. THE report which the business men of the Pacific Eastern Railway Company have presented to the Government advises the Legislature to provide sufficient money to keep the system in good order during the next three or four years, but suggests that the Province sell the property as soon as it can do so on reasonably good terms.

With this general recommendation the public as a whole will agree. Most people also will agree with the recommendation that there shall be no extension of the line, at any rate until there is much more prospect of business for the system than there is at present. Legislation already is available to deal with any offers of purchase which may be received and to make such concessions as may be considered good business for the Province.

In the meantime, however, public men and some newspapers that are inclined to treat this costly public investment as something in the nature of a joke, yet lose no opportunity of demanding a solution of the problem, might assist the road by helping to influence business its way. It may be a white elephant; but to call it that all the time is not good advertising. It will not reduce operating deficits. Only more traffic will do that.

A FAIR QUESTION

IN A SPEECH AT LAKE HILL LAST night Dr. Tolmie is reported to have said that he advocates the strengthening of the bonds "which knit Canada to the Mother Country."

These are sentiments to which Mr. Mackenzie King gave expression in London during the Imperial Conference and since his return to Canada. His colleagues in the Cabinet support them. They reflect an important part of the policy of the Liberal Party.

Are we to understand from Dr. Tolmie's solicitude for the relations between Canada and Great Britain that he has withdrawn his support from two important planks in the platform of the Conservative Party?

During the last two Federal election campaigns Dr. Tolmie declared that he supported the policy of his leader, the policy of the Conservative Party as laid down by Mr. Meighen. That included the abolition of the British Preference—under which the trading account between Canada and Great Britain reaches nearly \$700,000,000 a year—and the holding of an election to obtain the views of the people of the Dominion before sending troops to aid the Empire in an emergency similar to that which developed in 1914.

If Dr. Tolmie still thinks these two planks in the Conservative platform are worth his support, and we must assume that he does, how does he reconcile that support with his advocacy of his desire to strengthen the bonds "which knit Canada to the Mother Country?"

WHAT OTHER PAPERS SAY

"CANADA'S FINE EXAMPLE"

Not all of America's debtors are asking for repudiation or cancellation of their debts. In 1926 some \$182,000,000 of foreign loans fell due and were paid without protest of any kind. In 1927 the total of debts falling due amounts to approximately a quarter of a billion and this money will also be paid without protest.

Of the amount coming due in 1927 Canada owes about \$100,000,000. This little item appears in an obscure corner of the financial news section, and yet it has a good deal of significance on the whole foreign debt situation.

In fixing the blame for the great war, Canada would be the last country that anyone would select as the instigator. Yet Canada lost as heavily in men and money, proportionately to her population, as any country engaged, and has anyone heard of Canada trying to wring her debts?

She has paid her bills without a whimper, restored her currency to par value without aid, and asks no odds of any other country for the future.

What Canada has done can be done by the other debtor nations if they follow the same policy of honest taxation, hard work and financial integrity.

Queer Quirks of Nature

By ARTHUR N. PACK

What does the word "fox" mean to you? If you are a woman perhaps it represents a wonderful fur piece.

If you happen to be a farmer it spells "warming," deadly enemy of the chicken house.

If you are English it carries the thrill of riding to hounds and being in at the death.

But if you are a Nature lover then it means one of the prettiest, most intelligent and interesting of our wild creatures, and one of the most affectionate when tamed.

This cub fox in this picture, which stood still with difficulty just long enough to have his picture taken, was dug from his burrow six feet underground when he was a tiny bunch of soft gray fur, before his eyes had yet opened on the wide world.

He was an interesting study to the naturalist who adopted him, and became his constant companion. Sad to say, however, in that spite of his Christian upbringing he exhibited at a very early age those traits of character which have brought such a bad reputation upon his kind. His first glimpse of a hen and chickens aroused his sporting blood, and although petted, spoiled and well-fed, he was never known to resist anything in the poultry line.

Cub Fox

Do You Mean What You Say?

'LIKE IT OR LUMP IT.'



'LIKE IT OR LUMP IT'

"If you don't like it, lump it," or "do the next best thing" in current English. In old English, "lump it" means "do the next best thing." This happened to be one of the last old English words to "lump," and the Anglo-Saxon, "ge-lamp," meant to happen. There is a popular explanation of the phrase "like it or lump it" which concerns the allusion to a medicine which you slowly enjoy the taste, or swallow quickly, as a bitter pill, from which the sugar coating will disappear if you wait for the "lump" to melt.

J. S. H. MATSON.
Glamorgan Farm, North Saanich.
B.C. Jan. 26, 1927.

Canadian Questions and Answers

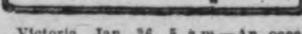
CANADA'S PRINCIPAL EXPORTS

Q.—What are Canada's ten principal exports?

A.—The ten principal exports of Canada in the calendar year 1925, with the value of each were: Wheat, \$26,329,000; Newsprint, \$19,445,000; Cotton, \$14,319,000; Pulp, \$10,921,000; Board, \$6,512,000; Meats, \$3,715,000; Fish, \$36,025,000; Cheese, \$34,575,000; Automobiles, \$3,045,000; Gold, \$1,423,000.

The WEATHER

Daily Bulletins Published by the Victoria Meteorological Department



Victoria, Jan. 26, 5 a.m.—An ocean

storm is approaching the Northern

Coast and mild weather is becoming

general on the Pacific Slope, and is

turning milder in the Prairies.

Victoria—Barometer, 29.92; tem-

perature, maximum yesterday, 44; min-

imum, 38; wind, 16 miles E.; weather, cloudy.

Victoria—Barometer, 29.92; tem-

perature, maximum yesterday, 45; min-

imum, 38; wind, 4 miles E.; rain, .66;

weather, cloudy.

Dr. Tolmie said he advocated

Canada learning as soon as possible to

assist in the expense of Empire

defence and also better terms for

British Columbia, explaining that he

had a resolution to this

effect on the order paper in the

House of Commons.

As for the tariff, he said he pro-

posed a reasonable tariff put on fruit

and vegetables coming in early in the

year from warmer climates, while

tomatoes and such things had to be

produced here in hothouses with the

cost of production.

In the administration of British

Columbia's affairs, Dr. Tolmie as-

serted that what was needed was

stability, economy, thrift, not niggardliness,

returns commensurate with ex-

penditure, no waste, no sub-

letting of contracts, lowering of the

cost of the Province, working to get

the right kind of immigrant, with a

view to settling 10,000 in northern

British Columbia.

Canada should continue in close

association with the rest of the Em-

pire and the British navy is behind

Canada's enforcement of her regula-

tions such as those restricting the

entry of Asiatics, he went on.

"The people here are the masters

and Britons, with what the people make it."

Dr. Tolmie said he had a resolution to

secure the right kind of government,

not wasteful government, but one

that will guard the interests of the

people, not one that believed in pat-

terage. Organization and unity within

the Conservative party are needed to

secure this. We will start out to

persuade people to register on the

voters' lists and to bring the women

and young men of the Province and

those in the fold of the party organi-

zation."

William Stubbs, who presided

yesterday, was the anniversary of Dr. Tolmie's birthday

at which the audience arose and sang,

"For He's a Jolly Good Fellow."

MISS MACKENZIE

To the Editor:—In your issue of

Tuesday evening Mr. Geo. McGregor,

President of the Jubilee Club,

I am sorry to say that you have

not given the name of your staff.

After the first meeting was held

the special committee appointed by

the board to look into the whole

situation at the hospital, members of

the committee were threatened by

The Colonist that if any attempt

was made to interfere with Miss

McKenzie, the Jubilee Club would

lose its charter.

The Colonist, in their issue of

Wednesday, said that

they would not accept, and that

no member would touch

money from an improper source.

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An agreement will shortly be reached between the Government and the Canadian Pacific Railway, following lengthy negotiations, by which the railway company will indemnify the Government for damage done to the Cariboo Road during the construction of the railway more than forty years ago. Announcement was made in the Legislature on Tuesday to this effect by Hon. W. H. Sutherland, Minister of Public Works, in answer to a motion by W. A. McKenzie, Conservative

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WINDING UP OUR JANUARY SALE

Sale of Remnants at Half the Selling Price of the Materials



For Last Days of January Sale

Women's and Misses'
Fur-trimmed Coats

Priced for Clearance at

\$6.90, \$9.90, \$12.90 and \$19.90

A group of Women's Coats, of good grade cloths; new stylish effects and in popular colors. Each for \$6.90

Coats of blanket cloth, velour; wrap-over effects, trimmed with cable stitching or buttons; fully lined; with fur collars and cuffs. Each \$9.90

Coats of velour, Bolivia and pinpoint; made in straight-line styles, with Thibetine collars and cuffs; very dressy and in shades of brown, black, rosewood, brick and navy. On sale, each \$12.90

Coats of Bolivia, duvetine and velour. Shades brown, rose, green, sand, rosewood and brick. Straight line models with pleats and novelty stitching and trimmed with collars and cuffs of opossum, Thibetine and sealine fur. Each a bargain for \$19.90

—Mantles, First Floor

Girls' Raincoats and Hats

Reduced to Clear

Rubberized Raincoats in shades of fawn, rose and green; sizes for 10, 12 and 14 years. Regular \$4.50 values. On sale for \$2.95

A few Black Rubber Raincoats in sizes for 14 and 15 years. Regular \$7.50 values. To clear at \$2.95

Colored Rubberized Raincoats in dark and light rose and green; sizes for 8 to 15 years. Regular \$7.95 values. On sale for \$4.50

Sou'wester Rain Hats, in black and tan. Regular \$1.00 each. Sizes for 6 to 12 years. On sale for \$0.50

—Children's Wear, First Floor

Women's Underwear

Priced to Clear Thursday



Harvey's Fleeced Cotton Vests, in low neck and short sleeve style; sizes 36 to 44. Regular 90c each, for 79c

Fleeced Cotton Bloomers, in white, pink, peach and orchid; sizes 36 to 44. On sale for 75c

Oddments of Vests and Drawers, all wool, values to \$1.75; sizes 36 and 38 only. On sale for 1.50

—Underwear, First Floor

Odd Lines of Children's Underwear

Reduced to Clear Thursday

Children's Vests, odd sizes with long or short sleeves. Values to \$2.25. On sale for 75c

Children's Combinations, odd makes and sizes. Values to \$1.95. On sale for 75c

Dr. Denton's Sleepers for girls, 8 and 9 years size, drop seat and button front. Regular \$2.45. On sale for 1.25

Children's Fleeced Cotton Bloomers in white, tan and navy. Sizes 18 to 26. On sale for 50c

—Children's Wear, First Floor

Children's Overall Gaiters

Regular \$1.75.
On sale for \$1.00

Children's White Stockinette Gaiters with elastic at waist, and buttoned down side; sizes for 2, 3, 4, and 5 years. Regular \$1.75 a pair. On sale for \$1.00

—Children's Underwear, First Floor

Stationery Bargains

Final Clearance of Novelty Stationery, a box 50c

All remaining Diaries reduced to clear:

Diaries at \$1.00, for 75c

Diaries at 75c, for 50c

Diaries at 50c, for 25c

—Stationery, Lower Main Floor

Women's Silk and
Wool and Cashmere
Hose



Values to \$1.25.
On sale for 59c

Silk and Wool and Fine Cashmere Hose, neatly fashioned with wide hemmed tops, shaped-in ankles and reinforced feet; sizes 8 1/2 to 10, in popular shades. Regular values to \$1.25, on sale for 59c

—Hosiery, Main Floor

Back Laced Corsets

Regular \$3.50 and \$5.50 Values.
On sale for

\$1.50 and \$3.50

Back-lace Corsets of plain coutil and fancy broche, medium bust styles and elastic tops. Dinecontinued lines, reduced to clear, small sizes only, on sale for \$1.50

Back-laced Corsets of striped batiste with elastic top and black boning. Regular \$5.50, on sale for \$3.50

—Corsets, First Floor

All Winter Millinery

Reduced to Clear Thursday, Friday and Saturday \$1.98, \$2.98 and \$3.98

Velvet Hats, in a good selection of colors and styles, including a few Matron's Hats; great bargains. Each \$1.98

Models of velvet, velvet and silk and felt, from such well known makers as Gainsborough, Peggy and Cavendish. Popular shades of wine, almond green, fawn, rose, brown, navy, royal and black. Each \$2.98

All our Black Models, reduced to clear, wonderful bargains. Each \$3.98

—Millinery, First Floor

A Rather Unusual Offering of

Women's and Misses' Shoes

ON THE BARGAIN HIGHWAY

THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

Regular Prices \$4.00 and \$6.00 at

\$1.95

Misses' Brown and Black Calf Boots of reliable leather; well made and neat in style. Sizes 11 to 2. Regular price \$4.00, for \$1.95

Women's Brown and Black Calf Oxfords, Patent Straps and Novelty Pumps; stylish lasts and smart in appearance. Shoes that have been much in demand all season. Regular price \$6.00, for \$1.95

Bargain Highway Shoe Section Lower Main Floor



January Sale
of
Down-filled
Comforters

All Reduced For Clearance During The Last Days of
January Sale

Down-filled Comforters, generously filled with purified down. These have coverings in Paisley and floral designs. Shades blue, pink, green, helio, cream, with panels of French satin. On sale, each \$12.75

Handsome Comforters, covered with French satin, well filled and ventilated. A large selection of colorings. Regular \$21.75 and \$24.75, for \$14.75

Best Grade Comforters, in very handsome designs, with satin panels. Regular \$29.50 and \$31.75, for \$18.75

—Staples, Main Floor

SALE OF REMNANTS

Thursday, Friday and Saturday at

HALF PRICE

Thousands of yards of Remnants, including Crepes de Chine, Figured Silks, Georgettes, Wool Dress Goods, Linings, Flannelettes, Sheetings, Longcloths, Beacon Robings, Broadcloth, Voiles, Crepes, Towelings, Oilecloths, Linens, Crettonnes, Casements and Curtain Nets. On sale Thursday, Friday and Saturday at exactly HALF PRICE.

—Bargain Highway, Lower Main Floor

January Sale of
Razors,
Shaving Sticks and
Creams, Hones,
Razor Paste,
Etc.

Gem Razors, Durham Duplex Razors, English Straight Razors. Your choice, each 15c
Razor Hones and Razor Paste, one of each, at 15c for the two.

Shaving Sticks and Creams, an assortment to choose from, at each 15c

These will be on sale Thursday, Friday and Saturday, while they last. Get your choice early.

—Shaving Supplies, Toilet Section, Main Floor

Final January Clearance of
Men's Shirts at 95c
and \$1.49



Men's Fine Negligee Shirts, with soft double cuffs and starch neckbands, patterned in light fancy stripes; sizes 14 only. Three dozen to clear, each 95c

Men's Imported Broadcloth Shirts, plain colors and white, with separate collars to match, neatly made and reliable. On sale, each \$1.49

Men's Duck Work Shirts, Regular Price \$1.25, for \$1.00

Work Shirts of khaki or blue duck, Colossus Brand, guaranteed full size in body, with collar and pocket. All sizes, regular \$1.25 for \$1.00

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

Men's Furnishings

On Sale on the Bargain Highway

Khaki Twill Work Shirts. Roomy shirts that give great service; sizes 36 to 44. Each \$1.00

Men's Sweaters in pullover style, wool mixture with shawl collar. On sale, each \$1.50

Heavy Blue Denim Overalls with bib, well made and wear-resisting; sizes 36 to 44. A pair \$1.55

Men's Tweed Pants; sizes 32 to 44. A pair \$2.25

Men's All Wool, Jumbo Knit Sweaters, with shawl collar and two pockets; brown or scarlet. Sizes 36 to 44. On sale, each \$2.95

Fawn with seal brown band. A great bargain, each \$4.50

—Men's Hats, Main Floor

Men's Velour Hats

Regular Prices To \$8.50 For
\$4.50

Velour Hats for men, very

stylish, with medium crowns, self color binding and attractively lined. Hats well finished throughout and in shades pearl and dark

grey with black bands.

Fawn with seal brown band.

A great bargain, each \$4.50

—Men's Clothing, Main Floor

Young Men's
First Long
Suits

On Sale for

\$8.95



Young Men's First Long Suits of rough Irish serge, double-breasted styles, well tailored and trimmed. Suits stylish in appearance and will give great service. Sizes 32 to 36. On sale Thursday, Friday and Saturday for \$8.95

Men's Raincoats, \$5.00

Men's Raincoats of serviceable material, double-breasted and with two-day roll collar, half wool lined and quite dressy in appearance. Small sizes only, 32 to 36. A January sale bargain for \$5.00

—Men's Clothing, Main Floor

VAN LOWE
"Kant Crease"
Collars

Van Lowe "Kant Crease" Soft Collars, broken sizes, priced to clear. Regular price 50c, for 35c

Or 3 for \$1.00

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

Men's Silk Knit Ties

Regular 50c. For 25c

Art Silk Knitted Ties, patterned in fancy and club stripes. Priced for clearance.

Regular 50c, for 25c

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

January Sale of Men's
Underwear

Penman's (No. 23 cloud) heavy natural wool mixture shirts and drawers, very serviceable underwear for working men. Regular a garment \$1.95. On sale for \$1.50

Stanfield's blue and black label, heavy cream elastic rib pure wool shirts and drawers. Regular prices a garment, \$3.00 and \$4.00. Priced to clear at \$2.40

Turnbull's natural wool, medium weight combinations. Broken lines and sizes. Sizes 34, 36 and 46 only. Regular prices a suit, \$3.75 and \$4.75. On sale for \$2.95

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

Bitter Oranges for Marmalade Have Arrived. 40c Dozen

New Smyrna Natural 23c Lifebuoy Soap, 3 bars 23c

Malt Extract, lb.	20c	Liver and Bacon, combination special	25c
Montcalm Matches, 12 boxes in pkt. for	17c		
Albert's Shaving Sticks, each	12 1/2c	Nice Fresh Tripe, 3 lbs.	25c
Baby's Own Talcum Powder, reg. 25c tin for	19c	Beef Kidneys, lb.	30c
Tooth Brushes, reg. 15c for	10c	Dry Salt Pork, lb.	30c
Fresh Red Spring Salmon, per lb.	33c	Fresh Red Spring Salmon	
Fresh Plaice, lb.	10c		
reg. 25c for	20c		

Good Local Potatoes, sack \$1.35 Pancake Syrup, large bottle, reg. 35c for 25c

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Mrs. Eldred will be glad to answer all questions pertaining to babies and children. A stamped and self-addressed envelope forwarded to this office will bring a personal reply.

It is not the province of this department to deal in illnesses, and many mothers ask us for medicines when a child has a cold, which request we have to decline to answer.

But here is the way we would treat a cold. When a child or an adult has a cold, it should be treated as if he were sick and not be allowed to run about, infecting other children and keeping himself ill much longer than is necessary.

If a cold is taken in the beginning it should be very easy to cure, but if one disregards the slight fever which accompanies it, and the chilling and discomfort and persists in staying at one's regular duties it will be much harder to get rid of.

MOT BAT AND BED
When a child has a cold give him a hot bath and put him to bed. Feed him nourishing but easily digested foods. Give him a mild laxative and keep him in bed until his cold is better. It is harder to entertain a child in bed than it is to let him run around and entertain himself, but a day or two of this treatment will kill a cold, while it may hang on for weeks the other way.

Greasing the nose to relieve the irritation of the nostrils is just about as good as another. Keep the child warm in bed, but keep the air in the room fresh. Breathing stale air is no way to get rid of any ailment.

LOTS OF WATER

Fruits and fruit juices: lots of water to drink; milk or buttermilk; vegetable purées, juices and broths; cereal gruel; soft eggs or an egg beaten into milk or into the cereal will supply the child with plenty of food of the right kind. For the first day or two, however, give him fruit juices every two hours and vegetable broths once or twice daily. If the fever goes down and the child feels better one can start the cereal and eat in addition to the fruits.

There is a loss of minerals when there is fever and that is one reason that fruit juices and vegetable soups seem to fill the bill so well. They really do make up this loss and the system is grateful.

SHOULD BE KEPT QUIET

The main thing in a cold is to keep the child quiet and let him sleep without being any burden to his system. Keep his bowels functioning well and his body temperature even, not chilled one moment and over-heated the next, as may well be the case if the child isn't in bed.

This answers the question often asked, "Shall I take my baby out of doors when he has a cold?" If the weather is very cold, no; because it is harder to keep him warm and comfortable. Give him plenty of fresh air all day in the house but keep the store, over five years ago.

About sixty guests were present, most of whom accompanied the bride to the church in wharves. They left on the midnight boat for Vancouver, where they will remain until out-of-town guests were Mrs. J. C. Gill and Mr. F. N. Palmer of Nanaimo, and Mr. T. Palmer of Vancouver.

MUSIC CERTIFICATES TO BE PRESENTED
The certificates of the Associated Board of the Royal College of Music and the Royal College of Music will be presented to the successful students of the Columbia School of Music on Friday evening, January 28, at the Columbia School, 1108 Broad Street. Beginning at 8.30 a musical programme will be rendered by the following students: Piano, Miss Isabella Mildenhall, L.A.B., Mr. Ronald Head, Miss Dorothy Osborn, Miss Gertrude Straight, Desmond Dutton-Murphy, Jack Baxter, Mary Leith, Majorie Oliver, Mrs. Burton-Murphy; vocal, Mrs. B. Bonita Marjorie Watson, Miss Dorothy Hartree; violin, Miss B. Graham, Miss Mary Phillip, Rosette Lee, George Tate. The certificates will be presented by Mrs. S. Maire of the Victoria Ladies' Musical Club, who will address the students on the subject of music study.

ST. PAUL'S WHIST DRIVE
There will be a whist drive at St. Paul's Garrison Church House, Esquimalt, this evening at 8 o'clock. Refreshments will be served.

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SOCIAL PERSONAL WOMEN'S AFFAIRS AND CLUB NEWS

HOUSE WEDDING WAS PRETTY CEREMONY

Miss Kate Palmer Becomes Bride of Stanley B. Jepson

Charming in every way was the house wedding which took place at the residence of the bride's sister, Mrs. J. V. Weston, Summit Avenue, Monday evening at 8 o'clock, when Kathleen, third daughter of Mrs. K. Palmer and the late deputy chief of police, Thomas Palmer, was united in marriage to Mr. Stanley B. Jepson, youngest son of Mr. B. Jepson of Sheffield, England. The bride was given in marriage by her brother-in-law, Mr. J. V. Weston, and looked lovely in her gown of white georgette, heavily beaded and sequined with silver, with bridal veil and circlet of orange blossoms. She carried a shower bouquet of roses, chrysanthemums and carnations, her only ornament being a string of pearls.

The bridesmaid, Miss Sadie Strange, wore a beautiful dress of mauve georgette with flounces of gold lace, and bandeau of gold leaves and pearls in her hair. She carried a bouquet of pink carnations. Mr. V. N. Palmer supported the groom. Girl friends of the bride formed an aisle, holding streamers of pink tissue.

Rev. Mr. J. P. Westman performed the ceremony. The bride entered the drawing-room to the strains of the wedding march, played by Miss Winnie McDonald, and during the signing of the register, Mrs. A. Dowell sang delightfully, "O Promise Me."

Asparagus ferns and frost decorations decorated the three-tier wedding cake which stood on the table, silver candlesticks and pink candles being used for decorations.

The Misses Cora Lister, Mellia Gibson, Louise Zarelli and Winnie McDonald served refreshments. Mr. Mark Graham proposed the toast to the bride, to which the groom responded in happy terms, after which dancing was enjoyed.

Mrs. Palmer, mother of the bride, assisted by Misses Weston and Mrs. H. C. Gill, received the guests. Mrs. Palmer being attired in brown Ottoman silk with lace panels and corsage bouquet of pink carnations; Mrs. Weston in black net with blue sequins; Mrs. Gill in purple georgette with rhinestone trimmings. Delightful solos were given during the evening by Miss Hazel Anderson, Mrs. Howell, Mrs. Weston and Mrs. Gill. Miss V. McDonald acted as accompanist. Mrs. Weston and Mrs. Jean Oldershaw supplying the music for the dancing. The arch under which the ceremony was performed and the happy couple received their guests was of pink blossoms, which were also used in the decorations of the rooms, combined with pussy willow and lover's knots of pink tulle.

The wedding gifts were numerous and beautiful, according to the popularity of the bride and groom. One of the most handsome being a silver tenor service from the bride's fellow workers in the Hudson's Bay Company, she having been on the staff of the general office since the opening of the store, over five years ago.

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EVERETT, JAN. 26—The Pacific Synod of the United Lutheran Church of America convened here yesterday, re-elected its entire set of officers. More than fifty delegates from churches of Oregon, Washington and British Columbia, are attending the four-day meeting, which opened yesterday.

T.V. AUXILIARY TO MEET
The Women's Auxiliary to the Victoria Veterans' Hall will hold their annual meeting Thursday at the home of Mrs. Booth, 222 Esquimalt Road. Election of officers and arrangement for completing the furnishing of T.V.A. rooms will be dealt with.

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COLUMBIA W.A. OPENS ITS SESSIONS

Nearly 200 Members at Holy
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Welcomed

The annual meeting of Columbia
W.A. Diocesan Board opened this
morning with the service of Holy
Communion in Christ Church Ca-
dental at 9:30, with an attendance
of nearly 200 members. The sermon
was preached by Rev. H. V. Hitch-
cox, and the Bishop of the diocese
was the celebrant assisted by the
Dean of Victoria, Rev. W. H. Arch-
bold and Rev. H. V. Hitchcox.

At 11 o'clock the business sessions
opened in the Memorial Hall, with
Mrs. J. Dickson, first vice-president;
in the chair, in the absence of Mrs.
W. H. Balson, diocesan president.
Mrs. Dickson referred to the re-
cent death of Mrs. Gilbert Hawkins,
who has been an active worker of
the W.A. for many years, and was
also a life member of the diocesan
executive. An offering of the board, and a
standing vote of sympathy was passed
to the family.

The address of welcome was given
by Mrs. Laycock, including a warm
welcome to Mrs. Ferabee of Ottawa,
the Dominion president. In the re-
gretted absence of Mrs. Tisdall of
Somenos, owing to illness, the reply
was given by Mrs. Wood of Courte-
nay.

Charming bouquets were pre-
sented to Mrs. Ferrabee and Mrs.
Dickson. The Dominion president
acknowledged the warm welcome
extended to her spoke of the inspira-
tion she derive from meeting so
many members of the Women's Aux-
iliary.

DUGALD DONAGHY PRESENTS PRIZES AT SAANICH PARTY

St. Luke's Hall Venue of Dance
and Card Party Staged by
Ward One, Saanich Liberals

St. Luke's Hall, Cedar Hill Road,
was last night filled to capacity, the
occasion being the card party and
dance given under the auspices of
Ward One Liberal Association. The
prizewinners were: Ladies, first, Miss
D. E. second, Mrs. Taylor; third,
Miss Holmes. Gentlemen, first, Mr.
Knowlton; second, Mr. Quayle; third,
Mr. Enstey. The tombola prize was
won by Miss Pegram.

President A. E. Horner introduced
Dugald Donaghy of Vancouver, who
kindly consented to present the
prizes. Mr. Donaghy congratulated
the association on its evident success
of the gathering, he stated, "It was
essential for their well being that
all political parties progress
programmes and policies which sat-
isfied our forefathers were not the
policies that met the ever-changing
conditions of the present day. He
said that to gain the confidence of
the people, a political party must
have well defined policies and able

OTTAWA TO DECIDE "DAEL SINGH CASE"

Evidence on Triple Identity
Mystery Will go Before
Dominion Department

The Department of Immigration
and Colonization at Ottawa will un-
ravel the mystery of "The Case of
Dale Singh," according to announce-
ment made this morning by S. M.
Reid, controller of immigration at
Victoria.

Mr. Reid stated to-day that all the
evidence regarding the triple identity
is being gathered together and will
be forwarded to Ottawa as soon as
possible. The evidence may be even
placed before Hon. Robert P. Park,
Minister of Immigration and Colon-
ization, Mr. Reid said.

A new angle to the mysterious
case was added with the arrival of
the Empress of Asia here last Mon-
day. On board was Fakiria Rawal a
Hindu and with the original assert
that he was the third man to take the identity
of Dale Singh. The traveler was met
at the boat by immigration officials
and a member of the Royal Canadian
Mounted Police and is now under de-
tention. However, the presence of
Dale Singh number one and Dale
Singh number two still remains a
mystery.

The triple identity first started last
year with the entry into Canada of a
Hindu by the name of Dale Singh.
Poor health he came here on a
visit under cash bond.

When the time came for Dale
Singh to leave the country he
applied to the immigration authori-
ties for a certificate, a physician's certificate
was produced stating that Dale was un-
able to travel. As the Empress of
Asia was about to sail from this port
on her last outbound trip a Hindu
dashed up to the gangplank and wished
to board the vessel. The immigration
officials were thrown into a quandary
two days later when a wireless was
received from the Asia stating that
the Hindu aboard was not Dale
Singh and demanded that he be
brought back to Victoria. The Asia
continued on her voyage and the
"real" Dale was to have been
brought back on her next inbound
voyage.

All would have gone well but when
the Asia docked here this week it
was found that a third Dale had en-
tered into the case giving the immi-
gration authorities further trouble to
worry over.

Arabia Maru Sails
For Orient To-night

On her way to China and Japan
ports the Osaka Shosen Kaisha
steamship Arabia Maru will call at
Victoria this afternoon. The vessel
will arrive here at 4 o'clock from
Seattle, and after embarking ten
passengers will sail at 5:30 o'clock.

Instead of sailing from Yokohama
for Victoria and Seattle the Jeff-
erson will steam for San Francisco at
5 o'clock March 2, arrive at Honolulu
March 13, San Francisco March 24
and Los Angeles March 27. She will
arrive back at San Francisco from
Los Angeles March 29.

Bound for Victoria and Seattle via
the "horsehoe" route, she will sail
from San Francisco at 4 o'clock
April 2, and arrive here May 23.

The steamship President Lincoln
will sail to participate the sailings of
the Dollar Steamship Line on the
joint service with the American Mail
Line will leave San Francisco Feb-
ruary 5, and arrive in Victoria on
March 28.

Odessa, Ukraine, Jan. 26.—Twelve
men were drowned when the Greek
steamer Anastasia was wrecked
against the cliffs at Euburaria,
Crimea.

The Greek steamer Lazos, found-
ered in a storm off the Turkish
coast, dispatches say. The loss of
life is unknown.

Victoria Deep Sea Ship Movements

TO ARRIVE IN VICTORIA
*Carries Passengers

RU. ALEXANDER*, California, Pacific Steamship Company, Pier 1,
Rithet Docks, January 27.

TO SAIL FROM VICTORIA
*Carries Passengers

ARABIA MARU*, Japan and China, O.S.K., Pier 1, Rithet Docks,
January 26.

TALTHYBIUS*, Japan and China, Blue Funnel, Pier 2, Rithet Docks,
January 27.

PRESIDENT JEFFERSON*, Japan, China and Philippines, American
Mail Line, Pier 2, Rithet Docks, January 29.

RUTH ALEXANDER*, California, Pacific Steamship Company, Pier 1,
Rithet Docks, January 30.

EMPEROR OF ASIA*, Japan, China and Philippines, C.P.R., Pier 2,
Rithet Docks, February 5.

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and Anson Stewart etc.

Prince Rupert Route
Union Steamships: Every Friday at
8 p.m. and every Friday at 8 p.m. from
Vancouver for Alert Bay, Port Hardy,
Prince Rupert etc.

Canadian National: Mondays from
Vancouver at 8 p.m.

Queen Charlotte Islands Route
Canadian National: Fortnightly ex-
cept from Vancouver

C.G.M.M. MOVEMENTS

Canadian Freighters: left Kingston
for Vancouver January 6.

Canadian Highlander: left Canal
for Vancouver January 19.

Canadian Pioneer: arrived Port
Kembla January 20.

Canadian Seigneur: arrived Port-
land en route Victoria January 23.

Canadian Skirmisher: arrived
Carson January 15.

Canadian Transporter: left Esquimalt
for United Kingdom January 14.

Canadian Winner: left Union Bay
for Yokohama and Osaka January 23.

Canadian Importer: left Chatham
for Antwerp January 21.

Canadian Ranger: arrived Prince
Rupert January 12.

Canadian Prospector: arrived Hall-
ifax January 17.

Canadian Coaster: left San Pedro
for San Francisco January 24.

Canadian Farmer: left San Fran-
cisco for Victoria January 22.

Canadian Observer: arrived Ocean
Falls January 21.

Canadian Rover: left Nanaimo for
Ocean Falls January 24.

FUNERAL HELD TO-DAY

The funeral of the late William
Scott who passed away on Sunday
morning took place this morning.
Funeral service was held at the
Imperial Funeral Home, 1255 Queen
Street, at 10:30 o'clock when the
Rev. F. G. Chappell, M.R.C., repre-
sented St. John's Church, officiated.
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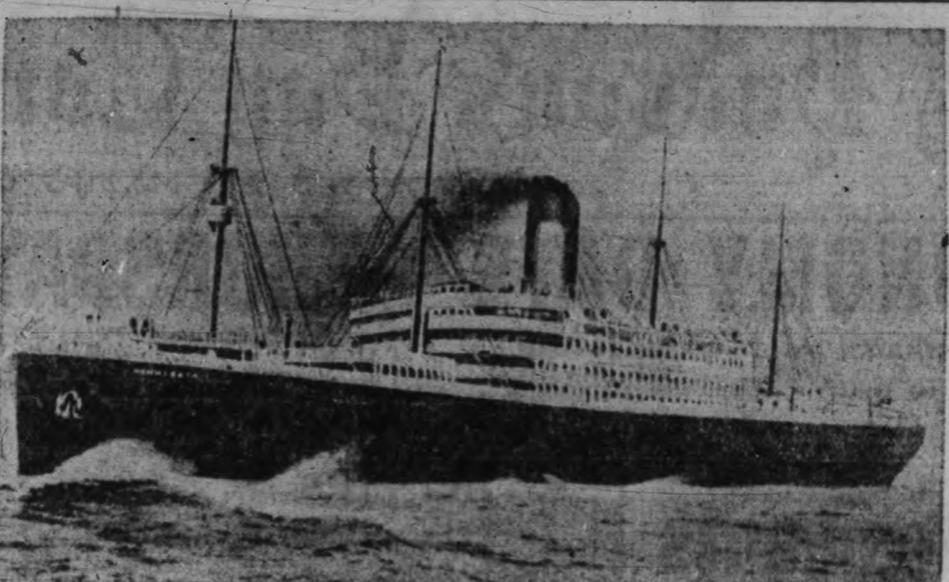
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January 25, 8 a.m., weather:
Estevan — Raining, southeast,
strong 28-35, 44, sea rough.

Pachena — Raining, southeast,
28-32, 40, 44, sea rough.

Alert Bay — Overcast, southeast,
29-30, 40, 44, sea rough.

Prince Rupert — Overcast, south-
east, strong, 29-30, 38, sea rough.

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TIMES SPORTING NEWS

GOLF, FOOTBALL

Former Local Stars Play Important Part In Eastern Victories

Russell Oatman Scores Goal in Overtime Which Defeats Detroit Cougars

Fredrickson Starts Boston on Way to Win; Ottawa Badly Handled

New York, Jan. 26—Ottawa's hockey machine was routed by the New York Americans by a score of 6-1 in a National Hockey League game played here last night before 16,000 people.

Captain George Boucher, Frank Finnegan and Kilrea, were absent from the Senators' line-up, serving a one-game suspension following penalties received Saturday night, but local sports writers doubt if their presence would have been sufficient to stem the avalanche which hit the Senators last night.

The Americans completely dominated the play and gave their best exhibition of hockey since the inauguration of Canada's Winter game in this city.

Only the uncanny work of Alex Connell, the Ottawa goalie, prevented the Americans' total reaching double figures. The home players penetrated the Senator defence as though it were paper mache. Efforts of the visitors to stop them were very feeble.

A WOBBLY OLD MACHINE

On the attack, too, the Senators were limbered. Their flashy combination was conspicuous by its absence. Most of the shots of Vernon Forbes were from outside the defence, which gave the visitors very little chance of becoming dangerous.

On the other hand, the Americans and the around Cotton, as well as Ottawa's goalies, had a busy night.

Leo Reise scored the first goal ever registered against the Senators by the Americans on New York ice with a shot between his legs, with his back to the goal when the game had been under way only half a minute.

Up to the eighth minute, the Senators had a record of four shutouts against the Americans at Madison Square Garden, including the victory over the Rangers recently, a record of five consecutive wins against New York teams on their home ice.

Connell, however, was matched with Canadians for second place in the Canadian group. These two teams meet here on Saturday night.

BOSTON STOP PIRATES

Boston took a firm hold on second place in the American group by breaking the Pittsburgh Pirates' winning streak of three games last night by 3-1.

Presenting a tough defence that the Pirates were unable to penetrate, the Red Birds, in the last period, won the game 2-1. Two minutes before the end of the extra session, Oatman, substituting at left-wing for Sheppard, took a fast pass from Broadbent and drove a backhand shot at Holmes' stick.

Russell Oatman scored the winning goal in this old fashioned manner, the Detroit Cougars, at Montreal, last night in an overtime game, the score being 2-1. Two minutes before the end of the extra session, Oatman, substituting at left-wing for Sheppard, took a fast pass from Broadbent and drove a backhand shot at Holmes' stick.

Manus Sheppard, Noble and Phillips, who are on the suspended list of the League, the Maroons were forced to battle on sheer nerve to win as they were staggering and badly exhausted when the end came.

Stewart scored a fast goal for the Maroons in the first period and Cleo Loughlin evened up shortly afterwards.

LINE-UP

Montreal Position Position Detroit

Benedict Goal Holmes

Munro Defence Duncan

Dutton Defence Loughlin

Stewart Centre Foyston

Broadbent Wing Wajkler

Oatman Wing Breden

Horne Sub Sheppard

Connell Sub Carson

Rothschild Sub Keats

Donnelly Sub Arbou

SUMMARY

First period—1, Montreal, Stewart, 56; 2, Detroit, Loughlin, 45.

Second period—No score.

Third period—No score.

Overtime—3, Montreal, Oatman, 18-00.

PENALTIES

First period—Duncain, Keats.

Second period—Foyston, Broadbent, (2), Breden, Dutton, Sheppard, Stewart, Gordon.

Third period—Briden, Loughlin.

Overtime—None.

LINE-UP

Boston Position Position Pittsburgh

Winkler Goal Worsley

Connell Defence Landis

Cleghorn Defence McKinnon

Fredrickson Centre Mills

Galbraith Wing Darragh

Oliver Wing Arbour

Meekins Sub White

Stuart Sub Drury

Boucher Sub Cotton

Shore Sub Smith

Hitchman Sub McGuire

SUMMARY

First period—No score.

Second period—1, Boston, Fredrickson, 1-2; 2, Boston, Oliver, 1-3.

Third period—3, Boston, Hitchman (not shown); 4, Cotton, Pittsburgh, 8-00.

PENALTIES

First period—Langlois, Fredrickson.

Second period—1, Boston, Fredrickson, 1-2; 2, Boston, Oliver, 1-3.

Third period—Milks, W. Boucher.

Second period—Couto, McKinnon.

Oo-la-la Suzanne!



Records For Mushing Broken By St. Goddard In The Pas Dog Race

Youthful Driver Showed Remarkable Control of Dogs; Never Used His Whip

Team Exceeded 14 Miles an Hour at Times; Criticism Directed at Race

The Pas, Man., Jan. 26—Emil St. Goddard, ace of northern dog team drivers, urged his team of seven huskies over the first forty-mile stage in the 120-mile Pas Derby in the excellent time of three hours and thirty-five minutes yesterday, to lead his nearest competitor by twelve minutes five seconds.

The grueling test in forty miles of mushing required the elimination of one driver, T. E. Eley, of Prince Albert, Sask., who quit after the fourth lap, when he was trailing at the end of the thirty-two miles covered by the remaining five drivers and their teams to-day, and again Thaddeus, who had run forty miles will complete the race.

The times of the drivers for the first stage follow:

Emil St. Goddard, 3.35.45.

E. Brydges, 3.47.50.

Leo St. Goddard, 3.50.15.

A. Olenky, 3.13.45.

Shorty Rouston, 4.4.34.

St. Goddard's time broke several records. He exceeded his twenty-five-mile world record made last year and set a new mark for the forty miles.

St. Goddard, who is twenty years old, is a French-Canadian, displayed absolute confidence in his team of seven greyhound huskies.

When he led the dogs from the course all were in excellent condition and appeared to be as fresh as before the start of the race. Over many miles during the day the speed was maintained and the team exceeded fourteen miles an hour. His average throughout the forty miles showed an elapsed time of five minutes and twenty-four seconds for each mile.

His record for the twenty-five miles set last year was two hours and twenty-two minutes, thirty seconds. The new mark clipped eleven minutes and four seconds from this.

WONDERFUL CONTROL

The thousands who viewed the race marvelled at the youthful driver's control over his team. He guided them solely by shouted words and did not find occasion to use the long whip which he carried.

He expressed confidence that the margin he maintained yesterday would be more than sufficient to assure his victory.

Earl Brydges, second in yesterday's competition, is driving a careful race and believes he can overcome St. Goddard's lead. His dogs also finished comparatively fresh, although the two sled dogs showed signs of fatigue.

Emil St. Goddard, seventeen-year-old brother of Emil, ran Brydges a close race for second place and must be considered in the running. He hopes to overcome Brydges' lead and at least furnish the stiffest competition to his brother, who trained him in the art of dog-mushing. This is the youth's first big race.

CARRIED DOGS ON SLED

Harry Olenky, who finished fourth, could not repeat his performance of last year, when he defeated Emil St. Goddard in the New First United Church Senior.

The preliminary game will bring together the Greys of the First United Church and the well-known Andrews from St. Andrews' Church.

The Americans are coming over with a big reputation. They are playing in the "A" division of the Church League and are at present on top. All members of the team have been driving hard, before, some with the Scimitars, Spaldings and the Piper & Taft teams.

HAVE A FINE CLUB

Their opponents from the First United Church are well known, having at one time or other won all the existing titles in the province. At present they have the nucleus of a "wonder team," with the addition of three members of the Falcons.

The Greys, however, two hundred resented seats, which can be secured at the Y.M.C.A. or from members of the local teams. Tickets are advised to make their reservations early if they do not wish to be disappointed.

Emil St. Goddard remained the favorite in the betting last night with odds lengthened to 2 to 1. His brother is second favorite in the betting with Brydges third.

Should Emil St. Goddard maintain his pace to-day more records will be broken.

WANTS OLD RACE SACK

"I came here purposely to see the conditions of your dog derby," he said last night, "and I find it similar to short dog races put on in various cities by young folk." He would humbly suggest that you get back to your 200-mile non-stop dog race if you hope to perpetuate your great class.

Music will be provided by a first-class four-piece orchestra, and everything has been arranged to give those present an enjoyable time. Tickets have been selling fast and a record crowd is expected.

The Sons of Canada have donated the use of the hall.

LINE-UP

Ottawa Position Position Americans

Connell Goal Forbes

Clancy Defence Conacher

Alex. Smith Defence Reise

Nighbor Centre Burch

H. Smith Wing S. Green

Denenay Wing R. Green

Gorman Sub Scott

Adams Sub Himes

Halliday Sub McLean

Subs. Subs. Roach

Subs. Subs. Simpson

Subs. Subs. Boucher

AT THE THEATRES

"KOSHER KITTY KELLY" IS VARIETY SHOWING WITH COMEDY THEME

That success in motion pictures lies in the giving of character rather than in attempting to be too versatile and playing all sorts of parts— is the belief of Nat Carr, the noted interpreter of Jewish roles, whose most recent success is the ex-citable delineation keeper in F.B.O.'s "Kosher Kitty Kelly," showing at the Variety.

In the past year I have been in eight different films, and those in which I played the role of Rosenberg, a character that I am now trying to establish in all my pictures, have been by far the most successful. Just why this should be the case, I do not know, unless it is that film audiences, while liking variety in the screen attractions themselves, pre-

Where To Go To-night

Dominion—"The Flaming Forest." Capitol—"Summer Bachelors." Victoria—"Kosher Kitty Kelly." Playhouse—"Hello, London." Columbia—"Yellow Fingers." Crystal Garden—Sea bathing and dancing.

"YELLOW FINGERS" IS FILM DRAMA PLAYING AT THE COLUMBIA

Screen patrons of Victoria have the rare opportunity to see dainty Olive Borden as a girl in "Yellow Fingers," a new Fox production based on Gene Wright's novel, now at the Columbia Theatre.

The climb of this little actress from obscurity to stardom in an incredibly short time is one of the wonders of Hollywood. Now she is hailed by many film critics as the Duse of the screen and her acting in this picture indicates that the honor is not undeserved. Certainly it is that she possesses unusual talent, and in this production she has a story admirably adapted to her personality.

The plot of "Yellow Fingers" concerns a beautiful half-caste girl who learns to love the man who has reared her from infancy as his own daughter.

ANITA STEWART PLAYS IN "WHISPERING WIRES" AT THE PLAYHOUSE

Anita Stewart, who has the leading role of Doris Stockbridge in "Whispering Wires," Fox Film's version of Warner Fabian's sensational novel, exposing the frailties of the modern woman, had her first showing at the Capitol Theatre to a strange infatuation.

Directed by Allan Dwan and with a cast of stars in the principal roles, including Madge Bellamy, Alan Foster, Charles Wininger and Matt Moore, this is an picture that captures the imagination.

It is not often that one sees such a swift-running story as this, nor one more starred with dramatic as well as comic situations.

There is a light, airy insouciance to this story that makes it spontaneously infectious. The director has well imbued the cast with that spirit so that they have it in full measure; and the audience is certain to be inculcated with the same pleasant microbe.

DOMINION FILM IS STORY OF NORTHWEST AND PIONEER FORCE

The average policeman who thinks he has a large beat to cover when he patrols a dozen blocks of paved streets should read the history of the Northwest Mounted Police.

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It was around this famous organization that James Oliver Curwood wrote "The Flaming Forest," which has just been filmed by Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer under the direction of Reginald Barker for Cosmopolitan and now being shown at the Dominion.

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A little shivering moment of finality and he had gone, leaving Jennifer alone in the darkening room.

She listened to the quick trot of the pony's little feet up the hill lanes, then she gave a stifled cry and ran to the door.

"Come back!" She thought she spoke the words aloud, but no sound passed her lips, and with an effort she dragged herself back to the chair by the fire.

"I know it's a fool to let him go, she told herself passionately. "Supposing he never comes back!"

Mrs. Jilly tapped at the door with words of consolation and a cup of strong tea.

"It is bad luck, having to go off like this when he'd only just come," she said sympathetically. "Never mind, you must hurry up and get well and strong for him when he comes back. I daresay he won't be long away."

"He's come back the moment he can," Jennifer said fiercely. "Some one is very ill—perhaps dying, or he would never have left me."

"No need to tell me that," Mrs. Jilly said warmly. "I know devotion when I see it. If I was you, I should go and have a lay down. Nothing like a lay down to put you on your feet," she added, rather mixing her metaphors.

But Jennifer was only too anxious to get well, and in less than a week she was quite herself again, and the rain-clouds had obligingly dispersed and allowed the sun to shine through and warm the chilled earth, and she took it in her heart as an omen of assured happiness that Mr. Gaunt had wired and written from London, and again from Paris, and Jennifer knew that now she must possess her soul in patience for a few days before further news could possibly reach her, and at the end of the week she said goodbye to Mrs. Jilly and went back to the office.

The time was passing at all events, and she hugged the thought to her heart that almost any day now she might hear that he was on his homeward journey. She had looked in vain in the newspapers for mention of Lady Edith's illness, but on the morning of her return to the office she found a small paragraph in a social column.

"Lady Edith Gaunt, who has been seriously ill in Italy, is reported to be well on the way to convalescence, and hopes soon to be able to make the journey home. Mr. Gaunt has arrived from London to be with her."

Jennifer's heart gave a quick throb and seemed almost to stop beating.

"So she was going to get well?"

In shame she tried to dismiss the thought.

"I don't want her to die," she told herself, panic-stricken. But it was not the truth. She hated Gaunt's wife with her whole heart, hated the little intimate wording of that paragraph.

"Mr. Gaunt has arrived from London to be with his wife," she told him. "It was Edith who had the right to him, and always will have. With all her own passionate love she knew herself to be the stranger woman in his life for whom the world would say there was no place. At the office, Mr. Gurney welcomed her with kindly critical eyes.

"You holiday does not seem to have done you much good, Miss Fry," he said in his downright fashion. "And you've got thin."

"Caught a chill; I've been in bed a week," Jennifer answered.

"You had bad weather. I'm afraid," Mr. Gurney said, but he had missed Jennifer very much, and had looked forward to her return, and it hurt him to see the strained look in her eyes and her nervousness. She almost seemed to him like a woman who was feverishly waiting for news of death or disaster.

"I don't say anything but a lot of snow," answered Uncle Wiggily.

"Only snowball," answered Uncle Wiggily with a laugh. "And they don't need a mask for that to save

them noses from being bumped. But I see what you mean," he went on. "It does look like something that doesn't belong there. Perhaps the children lift it when they hurried to school. I'll have a look."

"Better not," advised Mrs. Longears. "It may be a trap like the box with peanuts in where Nostie Posie, the baby elephant was caught yesterday."

"I'm not afraid. That doesn't look like a trap," said the rabbit gently.

"At the same time I'll be careful."

A little later Mrs. Longears and Nurse Jane Fuzzy Wuzzy, the musk-

rat lady housekeeper, went down to the eight and nine cent store to buy some new planks for the kitchen.

"I'll have a good chance now," said Uncle Wiggily to himself. "I'll go out in the yard, brush away the snow, and see what that queer wife thing is."

No sooner said than done! With a broom Uncle Wiggily brushed the snow away and then he saw that the object was a large bird cage. But it was not alive. Inside the cage was a big red, blue and green bird which the rabbit gentleman at once knew to be a parrot.

"Pretty Polly! Pretty Polly!" crooned Mr. Longears.

"My name isn't Polly. It's Pinchic Inchie," answered the gay bird. Not

that I will pinch you, though," he said in a sad and feeble voice. "I am nearly frozen to death as it is! I don't believe I could even pinch the tail of a cent on the parrot."

"Oh, how cold I am!"

Then the first thing to do is to get warm!" exclaimed Uncle Wiggily. "Afterwards you can tell me how you came to be out here in the snow. I know you parrots live in warm countries. You never have any Win-

from the sun."

"True enough!" croaked Pinchic Inchie, who had that name because of his long, strong beak that was very good for pinching. "I must be warm. I can not be happy in snow and ice. But you see I fell, cage and

all off a moving van. I've been here

in the snow ever since, and I thought no one would ever come to rescue me."

"Why didn't you call for help?" asked the rabbit.

"I did," answered Pinchic Inchie, "but I was away down under the snow, and that muffled my voice. Then I fell asleep, I guess."

"If my wife hadn't happened to see

your cage sticking out of the snow, I might not be rescued even yet," went Uncle Wiggily. "I'll tell you about it as soon as it's all over."

"Then he carried the parrot and cage into the warm kitchen of the bungalow, and gave Pinchic Inchie some crackers.

While the parrot was nibbling the crackers, all of a sudden into the

bungalow sneaked the Bob Cat with his silly, little tail. The bad chap was after Uncle Wiggily, and didn't notice the parrot.

But, all of a sudden, sneaking around to jump on the bunny, the Bob Cat got so near the cage that his silly little tail went in between the wires.

"Hah! Now is my chance to help the bunny who helped me!" thought Pinchic Inchie. So all of a quickness he nipped the Bob Cat's tail—or what was left of it—as hard as he could in his strong beak, and he howled "Woowhie! Woowhie! Wuum!" howled the bad chap, and away he ran, hardly knowing what had happened. So the bunny was saved once more. The parrot stayed in the warm bun-

W. H. Moore May Be Chairman of the Tariff Board

Ottawa, Jan. 26.—The rumor that W. H. Moore of Toronto would succeed Senator G. P. Graham as chairman of the Tariff Advisory Board of Canada was revived yesterday when Mr. Moore paid a visit to Ottawa. No official comment could be obtained on the significance of Mr. Moore's visit.

TWO MEN DROWNED

St. John's, Nfld., Jan. 26.—Arthur Black Moore, fifty-three, and his son, Harold, twenty-four, both residents of Philey's Island, were drowned yesterday when they broke through the ice while crossing to the mainland.

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SCHOOL DAYS



ELLA CINDERS—Where Is Blackie?



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BRINGING UP FATHER



—By GEORGE McMANUS

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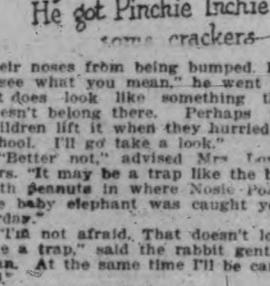
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MANITY IS THE PRIME REASON WHY EARLY MAN IN EUROPE WORE CLOTHES. BEING PROUD OF SOME ANIMAL THAT HE HAD SLAIN, HE WORE THE SKIN AS A TROPHY.

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XXI—Why Man Began to Wear Clothes. by MAX HAHN

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\$50,000 FIRE

Cedar Rapids, Iowa, Jan. 26.—A spectacular fire which threatened the Quaker Oats mills here last night was conquered by firemen after a three-hour fight, the loss not exceeding \$50,000. Two workmen were slightly injured.

CITY OF VICTORIA
Notice to Owners of Dogs

All owners of dogs are required to register them in the City Treasury Department and to pay the yearly tax by the 31st of January, 1927. Unless the above conditions are complied with, proceedings will be taken to restrain delinquents. The expression "Owner" includes every person on whose premises a dog is harbored.

L. E. GOWER,
Collector.



LAND REGISTRY ACT
In the Matter of Lot Nineteen Hundred
and One, Number Thirty-nine (1939). Victoria
City.

Proof having been filed in my office of the loss of Certificate of Title No. 17871-1, to the above mentioned land in the name of William Thompson, on the 26th day of January, 1926, and on the 26th day of January, 1927, I hereby give notice of my intention at the expiration of one calendar month from the first day of January, 1927, to apply for a provisional Certificate of Title in lieu of such lost Certificate. Any person who may be interested in reference to such lost Certificate of Title is requested to communicate with the undersigned.

At the Land Registry Office, Victoria, B.C., this 20th day of November, 1926.

M. J. CRANE,
Registrar.

Victoria Land Registration District.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
In the Matter of the Estate of William
Thompson, late of Luxton, in the
Province of British Columbia, deceased.

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Notice is hereby given that all persons having any claims or demands against the late William Thompson, deceased on or about July 15, 1915, at the City of Victoria in said Province, are required to send by post prepaid or to deposit in writing with the said Company-executor and trustee, under the will of the said William Thompson, their names and addresses and full particulars in writing of their claims and statements of their accounts and the nature of the securities, if any, held by him.

And take notice that after February 20, 1927, the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased, having regard only to the claims of which the said executor shall then have had notice and that the said executor shall not be liable for the assets of any part thereof to any person of whose claim notice shall not then have been received.

Dated at the City of Victoria January 14, 1927.

ROYAL TRUST COMPANY,
Belmont House, Victoria, B.C.
By its Solicitor, C. W. Bradshaw.

**IN THE SUPREME COURT OF
BRITISH COLUMBIA**

In the Matter of the Estate of Charles
P. Le Jeune, Deceased.

In the Matter of the "Administration
Act."

Notice is hereby given that under an Order granted by the Honorable Mr. Justice Gordon, dated January 14, 1927, A.D. is the undersigned, the sole Administrator of the Estate of the above named deceased. All parties having claims against the said Estate are required to file their claims with me on or before February 22, 1927. A.D. and all parties indebted to the Estate will be required to pay such indebtedness to me forthwith.

Dated at Victoria, B.C., January 21,
1927. A.D.

R. L. COX,
Official Administrator.

LOOK!



Illustration of a child's test, but it may stick many an adviser. The correct answer appears tomorrow.

What is unnatural in the running position of the man in the illustration?

What is the feminine of comedian?

What heavenly body is the closest to the earth?

What is the bed of an ocean level?

What is the abbreviation for professor?

TEST ANSWERS

These are the correct answers to the child's test questions which appeared yesterday.

1. Arms should be of each side should swing in opposite directions.

2.—Comedienne.

3.—Moon.

4.—No.

5.—Prof.

GENEVA AND RUSSIA

Geneva, Jan. 26.—Soviet Russia, adopting an attitude similar to what took toward the disarmament conference, has invited the League of Nations it would not participate in the international conference convoked at Geneva for May 4, because the gathering will be on Swiss soil. This refusal is a continuation of Soviet Russia's attitude of protest against the action of a Swiss jury which acquitted Maurice Courdji, the assassin of a Soviet envoy.

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MUTT AND JEFF

Illustration of a man and a dog.

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RUN DOWN?
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SAYS B.C. NEEDS PROTECTIVE DUTY ON FARM PRODUCTS

Coventry Urges Seasonal Tariff to Preserve Canadian Markets

Argument on the need of seasonal tariffs in British Columbia to protect agriculturists from the competition of foreign producers, started in the Legislature Tuesday when T. G. Coventry, Conservative, Saanich, asked the House to endorse this scheme of protection. The discussion will be resumed later in the week. Hon E. D. Barrow, Minister of Agriculture, having adjourned the debate.

Mr. Coventry quoted a series of definite figures to show that the tariffs on farm products entering Canada should be raised to the level of those imposed by the United States Government, or similar products entering its territory. He urged also that the principle of seasonal tariffs be adopted here and that the existing duty be used more effectively and more promptly than in the past.

Seasonal differences between Canada and the United States made tariffs the only means of protecting the Canadian market for the Canadian producer. Mr. Coventry contended that the B.C. varieties, invariably came into this Province and the market here he said, the Latin American tomatoes had made their appearance, threatening serious consequences to the local tomato growers. Figures were cited by the Saanich Member to show the House that the United States imposes far higher tariffs on all agricultural products than does Canada. In the same year the United States sells to the cities of towns in Canada almost twice as much in agricultural products as Canada sells to the United States, he declared.

The last two Federal elections, Mr. Coventry contended, showed by electing Conservative candidates, that British Columbian farmers wanted a protective tariff.

J. A. Cathcartwood, Conservative, Dowdney, declared that imposition of adequate protective duties would follow if the British Columbia Government requested such a step of the Federal Government.

CATHEDRAL REPORTS SHOW FINE PROGRESS

Financially Sound, Church
Has Passed Through Year
of Great Record

Reference was made at the annual meeting of the Christ Church Cathedral on Monday night to the laying of the new cathedral corner stone as the most significant and important event of the year, and the greatest progressive step since early history of the church in this Province. Dean C. S. Quinlan presided.

J. H. Hinton, presenting the churchwarden's report and financial statement, said that the year had been most gratifying. The increase over the year previous in receipts amounted to considerably over \$1,000. Taxes of over \$4,000 had been paid for the year. Mr. Hinton thanked all who had assisted in bringing about this state of affairs, but asked that the young people of the church continue to give their help to Memorial Hall work.

Dean Quinlan announced that he had appointed F. C. Nivin as rector's warden for the ensuing year.

The election of church officers gave the following results: J. H. Hinton, people's warden (unanimous), church committee, W. J. Alder, A. J. Dallain, Richard F. Davy, W. O. Cockett, A. H. Flinnison, W. S. Miles, W. L. Morkill, Charles Nickerson, A. J. Fraser and Major F. Longstaff, delegates to the synod; Percy Wollaston, J. H. Hinton, F. C. Nivin, A. J. Dallain, A. R. Merris and Major Longstaff; re-decanal conference members were re-elected: sidesmen, G. M. Slatar, A. Woollett, A. H. Flinnison, W. S. Miles, A. Food, R. Davy, E. P. May, A. Smith, U. Condon, Dr. S. F. Miles, K. Hennigan, W. O. Cockett, Dr. Chas. B. Messe, Charles Nickerson and Major Longstaff.

Hearty votes of thanks were passed to Mr. Hinton and Mr. Nivin, wardens, and to Mr. Nickerson, envelope secretary, whose work has been noted throughout the year.

Dean Quinlan asserted that the history of the church in the last year would be memorable because of the laying of the corner stone for the new cathedral.

Walter S. Miles, for ten years the secretary of the Cathedral Sunday Schools, was given a vote of appreciation for services rendered during his term of office. He had tendered his resignation.

Votes of thanks were passed to many and various persons and groups, and finally Dean Quinlan himself moved a vote of thanks to all officers and helpers.

A synoptic view of the financial statement is as follows: Total receipts, \$25,474.11; contributions for parish purposes in open offering, \$8,416.31; in duplex envelopes, \$4,356.95; pew rentals, \$1,445.04; contributions for missionary and diocesan purposes, \$3,360.47.

Expenditures for 1926 left a balance in hand of \$1,772.28, nearly \$700 more than was on hand last year.

Financial statements of various organizations in the church were received.

Representatives of the profession in Washington and Oregon are expected to be in attendance at the gathering here, which will draw members from all parts of British Columbia.

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